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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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Mr. Boehlert introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means

A BILL

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- 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-
- 2 tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,
- 3 SECTION 1. TAX TREATMENT OF UNEARNED INCOME OF
- 4 CHILDREN ATTRIBUTABLE TO PERSONAL
- 5 INJURY AWARDS.
- 6 (a) IN GENERAL.—Paragraph (4) of section 1(g) of
- 7 the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (relating to taxation
- 8 of unearned income of minor children at parent's rate) is

- 1 amended by redesignating subparagraph (B) as subpara-
- 2 graph (C) and by inserting after subparagraph (A) the
- 3 following new subparagraph:
- "(B) EXCEPTION FOR UNEARNED INCOME 4 5 ATTRIBUTABLE TO **PERSONAL INJURY** AWARDS.—There shall not be taken into ac-6 count under subparagraph (A)(i) any income 7 attributable to an amount excluded from the 8 gross income of the child by reason of section 9 104(a)(2)." 10
- 11 (b) EFFECTIVE DATE.—The amendment made by 12 this section shall apply to taxable years beginning after 13 the date of the enactment of this Act.

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